

*Stated Meeting, July 19.*

Present, ten members.

Dr. PATTERSON, President, in the Chair.

A letter was received and read:—

From the Geographical Society of Paris, dated Paris, 10th March, 1850, announcing the transmission of a donation to the Society.

The following donations were announced:—

## FOR THE LIBRARY.

- Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society. Vol. X. No. 6.  
April 12, 1850. London. 8vo.—*From the Society.*
- Smithsonian Contributions to Knowledge. Appendix 2 to Vol. II.  
Containing an Ephemeris of the Planet Neptune, for the year  
1850. By Sears C. Walker, Esq. Washington. 4to.—*From  
the Smithsonian Institution.*
- Transactions of the Royal Irish Academy. Vol. XXII. Part 2.  
Dublin, 1850. 4to.—*From the Academy.*
- Sixty-third Annual Report of the Regents of the University of the  
State of New York: made to the Legislature, March 1, 1850.  
Albany. 8vo.—*From the Regents of the University of the State  
of New York.*
- The African Repository and Colonial Journal. Vol. XXVI. No. 7.  
July, 1850. Washington. 8vo.—*From the American Coloni-  
zation Society.*
- Journal of the Franklin Institute. Third Series. Vol. XX. No. 1.  
July, 1850. Philadelphia. 8vo.—*From the Institute.*
- The American Journal of Science and Arts. Conducted by Professors  
Silliman and Dana. Second Series. No. 28. July, 1850. New  
Haven. 8vo.—*From the Editors.*
- Bulletin de la Société de Géographie. Troisième Serie. Tome XII.  
Paris, 1849. 8vo.—*From the Geographical Society of Paris.*
- Crystallized Gold from California. By Francis Alger, Boston. New  
Haven, 1850. 8vo.—*From the Author.*
- Contributions to Conchology. No. 6. By Prof. C. B. Adams, of Am-  
herst College, Mass. Amherst, 1850. 8vo.—*From the Author.*
- Report of Professor John Locke, of Cincinnati, Ohio, of the Inven-

- tion and Construction of his Electro-Chronograph for the National Observatory, in pursuance of an Act of Congress, approved March 3, 1849. Cincinnati, 1850. 8vo.—*From the Author.*
- Reply to a Pamphlet on the subject of "Assimilated Rank," referred to in a Memorial submitted to the Secretary by sundry Line Officers of the Navy, dated March, 1850. 8vo.—*From Dr. Ruschenberger, U. S. N.*
- The American Journal of the Medical Sciences. New Series. No. 39. July, 1850. Philadelphia. 8vo.—*From the Editor, Dr. Isaac Hays.*
- The Medical News and Library. Vol. VIII. No. 91. July, 1850. Philadelphia. 8vo.—*From Lea & Blanchard.*
- The Plough, the Loom and the Anvil. Vol. III. No. 1. July, 1850. Philadelphia. 8vo.—*From J. S. Skinner, Esq., Editor.*
- Plan of the Exhibition of the Industry of all Nations, to be held in London, 1851; with the Central Committee for the United States. Washington, 1850. 8vo.—*From J. C. G. Kennedy, Esq.*

Mr. Trego announced the death of R. Eglesfield Griffith, M.D. of Philadelphia, a member of this Society, who died 27th June, in the 53d year of his age.

Mr. Trego also announced the death of Dr. Philip Tidyman, of Charleston, S. C., a member of this Society, who died at Aberdeen, Scotland, on 11th June, aged 73.

Mr. Trego also announced the death of Mr. John Green Crosse, M.D. of Norwich, England, a member of this Society, who died 9th June last.

On motion of Prof. Frazer, Dr. Hays was requested to prepare an obituary notice of Dr. Griffith.

On motion of Mr. Trego, Mr. Ord was requested to prepare an obituary notice of Dr. Tidyman.

Their being no sufficient quorum present, the stated business of the meeting, the election of new members, was not proceeded with.

Pending nominations were read.